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The Colorful World of Clownfish

Short Answer Key

1. The sea anemone is a safe home for clownfish because its tentacles sting other fish, but not the clownfish.
2. Clownfish help sea anemones by cleaning them and scaring away harmful fish.
3. Clownfish eat tiny creatures like plankton and algae. They don't need to travel far because food often comes close to their sea anemone home.
4. A unique trait about clownfish families is that all clownfish are born male, and the largest one becomes a female.
5. Clownfish clean the anemones and scare away predators, while the anemones protect the clownfish from harm.

